

A HUNDRED YEARS AGO.

Celebration of an Important Event in History.

THE INAUGURATION OF WASHINGTON

The Senate and House of Representatives Meet in Joint Session and Are Addressed by Chief Justice Fuller—A Synopsis of His Remarks—Literally a Gathering of Nations—Senator Chandler's Election Bill—Washington Items.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 11.—In pursuance of a resolution adopted by congress in February last, the two houses met in the hall of representatives Wednesday to hold centennial exercises in commemoration of the inauguration of the first president. This was in the nature of a supplemental proceeding to the great centennial celebration held on April 30 in the city of New York, where President Washington first took the oath of his high office. It was literally a gathering of the nations. Through the foreign legations, resident in Washington, all were officially represented. Added to these were the delegates from the Central and South Amer-



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ican republics, accredited to the pan-American congress, now in session, and the members of the marine conference.

Governors in Attendance.

There were also present the governors of about twenty states, drawn hither for consultation in regard to memorializing congress for the erection of a centennial memorial building at Philadelphia, a matter that was first suggested at the meeting of the governors of the original thirteen states in 1887. The galleries were packed. Shortly before 1 o'clock the house of representatives notified the senate that it was in session. In a few minutes the senate, preceded by the president and the vice-president, the members of the diplomatic corps in their brilliant uniforms, and the justices of the supreme court of the United States in their official robes, entered the hall of the house. They were seated in the seats reserved for them in front of the speaker's desk.

Vice-President Morton in the Chair.

Vice-President Morton took the speaker's chair and gavel, and at 1 o'clock called the two houses to order in joint session. The Marine band, which was stationed in the south corridor, rendered appropriate music. Rev. J. G. Butler, the senate chaplain, opened the services with prayer. Chief Justice Fuller, of the supreme court of the United States, then delivered his oration on the progress of America. Rev. W. H. Miltburn, the house chaplain, delivered a benediction, and while the Marine band played national airs the assemblage dispersed.

Chief Justice Fuller's Address.

The address of Chief Justice Fuller occupied nearly two hours in delivery. The distinguished speaker began by reference to the great celebration in New York city in April last. He then touched upon the chief historic events immediately preceding and following the inauguration of Washington, discussing them with references to their bearing upon the welfare of the nation which was thus being developed. The avail ability of Washington at the crisis at which he exchanged the sword for the duties of the chief magistrate was one of those providential blessings so often bestowed on this nation. The promotion of human happiness was the keynote of the century in which Washington lived. In discussing his administration Mr. Fuller spoke especially of the wisdom displayed in his choice of a cabinet and his selection of members of the supreme court.

The History of the Nation.

After discussing at length the character and official work of Washington Justice Fuller traced briefly the history of the nation through the century, especially dealing with the period of civil war from which it emerged still one nation. The speaker closed with reference to the great responsibilities of the nation and important issues presented for its decision. The new century, he said, may be entered upon in a spirit of optimism, bold in faithfulness of the faith whose very consciousness of limitations of the present asserts the attainability of the untraveled world of a still grander future.

Proposed National Election Law.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 11.—Senator Chandler introduced in the senate Tuesday a bill to secure a free vote and a fair count in elections for representatives in congress. It provides that if in a congressional election ten voters in each county (or each voting precinct where the district is one county or less) make affidavit that they believe the election will be unfair if held by state officers, the United States circuit court shall publish the filing of the petition four weeks in advance and shall take charge of the election. Each candidate, or chairman of each congressional committee having a candidate, may act as commissioner for his county. The commissioners are to take charge of the election and appoint judges and clerks.

Congressman Cotheran to Resign.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 11.—Congressman James S. Cotheran, who represents the Third South Carolina district, announced to his colleagues Tuesday that he will resign his seat in congress, to take effect Jan. 1, to accept the office of general counsel for the Richmond and Danville Railroad company, for the state of South Carolina, which is a much better paying place than that of a congressman.

Minister Lincoln's Son Improving.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 11.—A letter received from Minister Robert T. Lincoln, who is now in Paris, contains encouraging news in regard to the condition of his son Jack. Mr. Lincoln says his son is slowly but surely recovering his health.

The President Reaches Washington.

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DINAN'S WHITE HORSE.

Forrest Talks of Mrs. Conklin's Identification of the Animal.
CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Mr. Forrest resumed his address to the jury in the Cronin murder Wednesday morning by a discussion of the question, "Was the horse Dinan's horse?" Has it been proven beyond a reasonable doubt that the horse that took Dr. Cronin away was Dinan's horse? We will prove that it was not Dinan's white horse. Mrs. Conklin described peculiarities about the horse which Dinan had never seen. Dinan, in his testimony, said there was no noticeable peculiarity about the horse. He was a common horse. Mrs. Conklin described a peculiarity about the horse that was impossible. It was a physical impossibility.

No Peculiarity About the Horse.

There could be no movement such as she described. There could be no swinging and iron of the front limbs. Dinan said there was not a mark or peculiarity about the horse. And the peculiarities which Mrs. Conklin described here on the stand she never thought of when talking to Capt. Schenck. She described none of them to Capt. Schenck. She did not remember them even when she was describing the horse to Frank Scanlan, one of the associate counsel for the prosecution, in the hearing of Mr. Glavin, the reporter.

The Coat Worn by the Driver.

Mr. Forrest continued his argument against the probability of Mrs. Conklin's ability to identify any horse after only the very brief inspection she had of it while looking out of the window. She said the horse was very white, while Moreland had said the animal was gray. It was so dusk that the electric lights were burning and yet she could distinguish shades of white, seen at a distance. A similar blunder was made by Mrs. Conklin in testifying about the coat worn by the driver of the white horse. Mrs. Conklin said he wore a dirty, rusty-looking coat that seemed long and too large for him, while Frank Scanlan, who saw the man on the sidewalk, said the man's coat was short and seemed too small for him.

Refused to Pay a \$5 Fine.

BURLINGTON, Iowa, Dec. 11.—Burlington's missionary, A. H. Mertz, who was arrested last week for running a restaurant without a license, has been sent to jail for ten days on his refusal to pay a fine of \$5. Mertz has been publishing a small paper, in which he bitterly assailed a number of municipal officers, and he claims the prosecution was the outgrowth of the articles he has published. At the trial he introduced a number of witnesses to prove the charitable character of his institution, but as he took pay for meals this was held to prove that his place was a restaurant under the city ordinance. Mertz went to jail vowing vengeance and the next issue of his paper is eagerly looked for.

The Deadlock in Montana.

HELENA, Mont., Dec. 11.—There was a report Tuesday night that Republican senators will cause the arrest of one of the Democratic senators by the sergeant-at-arms and have him brought into the senate, in order to break the senatorial deadlock. Democratic senators say that as they have not taken the oath, neither the senate nor its officer has any control of them, and should the sergeant-at-arms attempt to carry out his instructions there is a probability of a conflict. The Democratic house of representatives will have the speaker appoint committees and as soon as this is done bills will be introduced and rushed along to second reading.

Will Cook for President Harrison.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 11.—President Harrison is to have his meals cooked in the future by a colored woman from Kentucky, and Mrs. Laura Johnson, of this city, better known as "Dollie" Johnson, left Tuesday for Washington for that purpose. For many years "Dollie" was the efficient cook for Col. John Mason Brown, who says she is one of the finest in the United States. She is about 37 years of age and is a mattole. She has a dignified and refined appearance and has a fair good education. Some three months ago she left Col. Brown's service and went to her old home, but, at Mrs. Harrison's urgent request, consented to go to Washington.

List of the Victims.

Following is a list of the dead and seriously injured: Killed—E. Bigler, Miss Clara Burns, Mrs. Nester, George Horner, Charles Freytag, George Steiner, William Miller, colored, John Carl, A. Fleischauer, Isaac Feler, Lizzie K. Kohn, A. Weiss, John Wyman, Lizzie Chaybaugh.

Among the seriously injured were: Charles Vaughn, Albert Owens, Richard Worthington, Mrs. Platt, Mrs. Lester.

Crashed to Death on the Rail.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 11.—Adolph Tieman, a brick layer, fell from a moving train which he was attempting to get on Tuesday morning at the Eighth street crossing of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road, and striking the other truck with his head and shoulders, was crushed to death by engine No. 217, drawing a south-bound freight train. One year and eleven months ago his son, Edward Tieman, was killed at the same place by the same engine.

Bursting of a Large Fly Wheel.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 11.—Early Tuesday evening a forty-ton fly wheel at the Chesapeake Nail works burst and injured about a dozen of the 300 persons employed in the establishment, who were either struck by flying fragments or caught in the debris. A man named Fisher received the most serious wounds and his death is feared. Two other employees were severely hurt. The building was badly wrecked.

Again the Deadly Wire.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—A street car on the Third avenue line became entangled at Tenth street early Wednesday morning in a fallen wire of the Harlem Electric Lighting company, and the driver, Pierce Marx, received so severe a shock that it was necessary to take him to the Presbyterian hospital.

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ERIE, Pa., Dec. 11.—A terrific gale prevailed here Tuesday afternoon. The only fatality reported was the killing of Brakeman McCready of the Nickel-Plate line. The young man was blown from the top of his train and mangled to death under the wheels.

Sent Negroes to Work the Mines.

SPRING VALLEY, Dec. 11.—The Chicago, Wilmington and Vermillion Coal company sent fifty negroes to Seatonville, six miles from here, to work in the mines at that place. A short time ago that company greatly reduced the wages of its employees, and all the men left. The negroes are to take their places. It is quite probable that the white miners in the vicinity will undertake to forcibly drive them out. There are no other colored men in this section.

Groundless Comments.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Two men named respectively Turner and Clark have been arrested for forging and uttering Chilean bonds. They are also suspected of being implicated in the theft of £2,000 from Baring Bros., the bankers, in 1883. The prisoners were brought before a magistrate and remanded.

Mayor Hart's Big Majority.

BOSTON, Dec. 11.—Although the total vote for mayor Monday was nearly \$8,000 less than a year ago, Hart, the Republican and Citizen's candidate, is elected by a larger majority than any mayor has received for thirteen years, with the exception of that given O'Brien, Democrat, in 1886.

Aunt Mary Tyler Dead.

BOSTON, Dec. 11.—Aunt Mary Tyler, as she was familiarly called, died at her residence in Somerville Tuesday, aged 83. She was born in Sterling, Mass., her maiden name being Mary F. Sawyer, and she was the subject of the rhyme, "Mary Had a Little Lamb."

Rev. J. H. Kendrick Dead.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Dec. 11.—The Rev.

J. R. Kendrick, ex-president of Vassar college, was found dead in his bed at 3 o'clock Wednesday morning.

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UNLUCKY JOHNSTOWN.

A Panic Results in Death to Many Persons.

FRIGHTFUL CRUSH AT A THEATRE.

The Audience, Terror-Stricken by an Alarm of Fire, Rush Pell-Mell Down a Narrow Stairway, Knocking Down and Trampling to Death Fourteen People—Horrible Scene Witnessed—A List of the Dead and Seriously Injured—Miscellaneous Mishaps.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 11.—During the performance of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" in the old Main Street Opera house Tuesday evening a panic was caused by the alarm of fire being given. The hall was crowded, and in the rush for the only exit, which was reached by narrow stairs, a number of persons were crushed to death, and probably seventy-five were seriously injured. It was found necessary to turn a stream of water on the crowd from a fire engine standing near the entrance where a view could be had of the struggling crowd of people inside. The crowd behind still pushed forward, the frantic cries of warning uttered by those who had escaped danger and had reached a place of safety beyond the block being unheard because of the wild shrieks and groans of those who had been caught in the crush. One or two men actually climbed over the struggling victims and made their way out on Main street.

Turned the Hose on Them.

An attack of the theatre, on hearing the cry of fire, at once turned in an alarm, and in a few moments an engine dashed up. The hose was quickly attached to a water plug, but the firemen found no flame against which to direct their efforts. The chief of the fire department had forced his way through the crowd and reached the entrance where a view could be had of the struggling crowd of people inside. He at once saw that the only way to save a horrible sacrifice of human life was to hold back the crowd which still kept pressing forward to the door. The chief ordered his men to bring a hose pipe inside the door, and when that was done a full stream of water was turned on.

Effect of the Water.

The crowd in front was drenched in a moment, and then the stream was directed on those further back. The people at first supposed this was merely confirmation of the alarm of fire, which had started them for the outside, and many redoubled their efforts to reach the street. The sudden downpour of cold water, however, fortunately had the effect of stopping the yell and cries for a moment, and that brief cessation of noise was taken advantage of by the firemen. They shouted to the people that it was a false alarm, and the welcome news was rapidly passed through the crowd. The result was that in a very few moments the people in the rear drew back and those who were able began to aid the wounded.

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LONDON, Dec. 11.—The manager of the National Bank of Brazil referring to the adverse comments of the English press on Brazilian stability telegraphed that the comments are groundless; that complete tranquility prevails; that there is the fullest confidence in the present government and that everything is progressing well.

Big Haul by Burglars.

Kosciusko, Miss., Dec. 11.—Burglars Tuesday night entered the store of Carter & Lee and blew open a large safe. They secured nearly \$35,000 in cash. No clew as yet to the identity of the robbers.

Failure of a Kansas Bank.

ARILENE, Kan., Dec. 11.—The First National bank of this city has suspended business. At the close of business it was apparent that the suspension must occur, and Tuesday morning the affairs were placed in the hands of the deputy comptroller of the currency for settlement.

The Best Acre of Potatoes.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The grand prize of \$500 offered by an agricultural paper for the best acre of potatoes has been awarded to Charles B. Cuy, of Aroostook county, Me. His crop was 782 bushels. The second prize was given to Alfred Rose, of Penn Yan, N. Y., for a crop of 633 bushels. Similar prizes are offered for the coming year.

Groundless Comments.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The manager of the

KANSAS FARMERS SWINDLED.

Gigantic Fraud Perpetrated by the American Sugar Company.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 11.—A swindle of gigantic proportions has been perpetrated upon the farmers of at least two counties in this state, and it is feared may be found to be even more far-reaching than is yet known. The amount involved in the swindle aggregates over \$150,000. The American Sugar company of Kansas was chartered about a year ago. Its agents built a mill to manufacture sugar from sorghum at Meade Center. The product from the mill was exce-

ptional in both quality and quantity.

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The biggest stock of fine chairs we have ever shown. You will find exactly what you want. Come in and see the display. It is a fine one.

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Best for the money.

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TRACK AND TRAIN.

E. M. Meriweather is in Hannibal, Mo. George B. Flack is back from Edwardsville.

The L. D. & W. stock pens were repaired yesterday.

G. G. Dorwin, of the L. D. & W., went to Keokuk yesterday.

W. S. Shoemaker went to Chapin yesterday on business.

The new Central time card will go into effect next Sunday.

Major Badenhausen returned from his Missouri trip yesterday.

Telegraph operator Sprague, of the Junction, has gone to Terre Haute.

J. C. Jacobs, division superintendent of the Central, was in the city yesterday.

J. S. Kalovec, traveling passenger agent of the Pennsylvania line, was in the city yesterday.

The incoming trains yesterday had more "drummers" than any other class of passengers.

The Wabash work train crew are out at Knight station, laying switch tracks and fixing up the road bed generally.

Pat Lutkins has succeeded to the position of foreman of the work train, made vacant by the resignation of Dan Mahoney.

The T. H. & P. pay car went east yesterday and the Wabash employees expect to be weighted with their money to-morrow.

Five splendidly furnished street cars for Indianapolis were transferred to the L. D. & W. yesterday from the Wabash tracks.

General Traveling Passenger Agents Fred Dorwin of the E. G. & V. railroad, and C. S. Henry of the L. & C., were in the city yesterday.

Train 5 on the Wabash ran over and killed a man named Hanson at Reddick at 11:10 yesterday. He was an old man and walking on the railroad.

More new seats have been placed in the depot waiting rooms. The companies are improving steadily and a new cuspidor is liable to be invested in at any moment.

Car Repairer Kelly, of the P. D. & E., has been quite sick at his home, 510 East Marietta street, for two or three weeks, but is now able to get around.

The headlight on engine 11, northbound passenger engine on the Central yesterday afternoon when it steamed into the city, and the crew didn't know it.

The bright, new spots on the roof of the roof of the Union depot delusion, where the chinks were recently chunked, afford a very striking contrast to the rest of the dingy covering.

Engine 3, that works as switch engine in the Illinois Central yards at Pana, went through here last night with its pilot on top of the tender. An open switch caused the engine to run into some box cars.

R. S. V. Pierce, chairman of the board of trustees now operating the L. D. & W., was in the city yesterday and made arrangements to have set aside the execution on the company's property secured by Jonah Towhill.

John Rosenbush, son of a prominent citizen at Quincy, was arrested there Wednesday night by Detective Ballard for breaking open a Wabash freight car and stealing two buckets of tobacco. He was bound over in \$300 bonds.

Passed Away.

Last evening at 6 o'clock Oscar D. Hill, foreman of THE REVIEW newsroom, passed away quietly. The disease was of the heart and culminated in a severe attack of affection for Miss Ella Bucker, charming young lady of this city, and he passed from single blessedness to married bliss without a struggle. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's sister Mrs. B. F. Andrews 360 North Franklin, in the presence only of the nearest relatives of the handsome young couple, and was performed by the Rev. Bankson of Blue Mountain. The writer has known Mr. Hill long and intimately and cannot speak too highly of his very many manly qualities. He is a general favorite, a genial, honest, industrious man, and good man like that always makes a good husband. The bride is an accomplished young lady, and Oscar is to be congratulated on his successful wooing and winning. THE REVIEW is sincere in wishing them a long and happy married life, that they may never be "out of sorts," and that their pathway may be "made up" of as few thorns and as many flowers as ever fall to the lot of mortals. The young couple will reside at 817 West Macon street.

A Moultrie County Divorce Case.

Sullivan Progress.

The divorce case in which Mrs. Lucy Davis was plaintiff and George C. Davis, defendant, was heard by Judge Vail and a jury in the circuit court Friday and attracted a great deal of attention. Judge H. S. Clark of Mattoon, appeared for the lady whose maiden name was Lucy Knight. Senator W. C. Johns, of Decatur, represented the defendant. The charge was that of habitual drunkenness and extreme and repeated cruelty and when the evidence of the plaintiff was in Senator Johns arose and stated that the case for the plaintiff was much stronger than he expected from the understanding he had had of it and asked leave to withdraw his plea and retire from the case. This ended the matter and somewhat disappointed the crowd who wanted to see the fight to the finish. One of the most important witnesses for the plaintiff was a Mrs. Dawson, living near Decatur, at whose house Davis and his wife stayed all night when the defendant was under the influence of liquor. They could not have stopped at a better place to get a witness. The lady of the house not only saw and understood the situation completely, but she knew how to tell all she heard in the most effective way.

Lamp Burned.

The lamp in the depot burned out Wednesday night. The carbon burned out but failed to "cut out" and the lamp had to go.

Lost.

Strayed, from the house yesterday, a pug bitch. A liberal reward will be paid for her return to E. D. Bartholomew.

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PRICES TO SUIT ALL.
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FOOTLIGHT AND FOYER.

TO-NIGHT.

George Wilson's minstrels, who appear at the Grand Opera House to-night, promises to give Decatur the best minstrel performance ever in the city, and their claims seem to be substantiated by some wonderfully clever press notices, from among which the following is taken from the Lexington, Ky., Transcript, August 31, 1889:

George Wilson came here last fall with a show that was little steady and run down at the heel. He came here this year with a show that knocked the pins from under most of the audience and surprised them utterly.

It is not too much to say that the minstrel performance that was given in this city last night was the best that has been given in new open house, Thatcher, Primrose and West, can't touch it. For newness of features and general excellence, it simply takes the cake. Wilson is better than ever, and to-day has no peer in the profession of the burnt cork.

A sextet of the sweetest voices that one can readily imagine fairly made the house throb with melody. Will Walling and Geo. Gale were especially pleasing.

Space, the newspaper's autocar, will not permit a recapitulation of the features in detail. But Rauma and Arno are two wonderful acrobats to be left out of a notice of this sort.

TO-MORROW NIGHT.

That powerful speaker, Dr. McGlynn, who fed so many of his partisans to ex-communication in New York, will speak Saturday afternoon. An exchange says:

Dr. McGlynn came upon the stage and walked down to the footlights with a buoyant and springy step that denoted a sound physique. He scanned his audience for a moment, and in return they studied his appearance. He seemed satisfied with his inspection, and the audience certainly were with theirs.

He had not spoken 10 words before he had the entire audience with him, and the clear tones, winning smile and plain, matter-of-fact and direct way of stating things, held them throughout the evening, for although he spoke two hours and a half, only three persons left the theater in the time.

He spoke rapidly but clearly, without the aid of notes. He was positive in his statements, logical in deducing the points he wished to bring out, witty as a narrator of comical illustrations, eloquent whenever he was warmed up, and a pleasant speaker throughout.

"LITTLE LORD FAUNTLEROY"

will be presented Monday night by a company that has been playing in the large cities of the country. New York papers say of it:

This is the most beautiful example of dramatization ever presented in New York. Its sweetness is like grand music—like a glorious rendition of "Home, Sweet Home."—Press.

It will be a vast success, and there is more genius and nature in it than any stage is used to see in recent work.—Star.

A Hard Bushard.

John Starbati, a miner living at 925 North Church street, was arrested yesterday by Officer Butt on two charges, that of beating his wife and child "violently." He was very repentant and wept a great many tears over the affair and promised never to do it again. Justice Curtis fined Starbati \$2 and costs in each case. A portion of the fines was paid and the balance is to be handed in the next pay day at the mines.

Brought Home.

The remains of Mrs. Minnie Parker, who died at Indianapolis Wednesday, arrived here yesterday, accompanied by Dr. B. F. Sibley, the father of the deceased. The immediate cause of Mrs. Parker's death was hemorrhage of the lungs, she living only two hours after the first attack. The funeral will occur to-day at 3 p.m., from the residence of Dr. Sibley, 422 North Morgan street.

A Bed in a Blaze.

Dustman & Marcott dealers in furniture, made a fire in the street yesterday to burn up some packing paper that came around new goods. The wind blew the fire against an expensive folding bed on the sidewalk that had just been received but was not yet unpacked, and it was soon blazing. When discovered the bed was doing its best to burn up. The fire was soon put out, but considerable damage was done.

Mashed Toes.

G. M. Bapp, a hawker at the Wabash shops, was struck with a large lump of coal yesterday morning on the right foot, and were mashed so severely that he will be laid up for eight or ten days. Dr. W. B. Hostetter dressed the wounded foot and adjusted the broken bones for the unlucky man.

Being Repaid.

Considerable complaint is made by residents of the second ward because no lights have been burning at the electric tower on corner Calhoun and East North for several nights past. The reason as learned by a REVIEWER, is that all the lamps were taken out of that tower and are now being repaired.

Christmas Club Meeting.

The Christmas Club will meet this evening at the rooms of Mrs. C. A. Foster, in the Field & Matties' building. A full attendance is urged, and the members are also reminded that they should pay their annual dues of 10 cents each.

Bradley Bros.

ART and FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

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Satin Hand Painted Sachet Bags.

Fancy Hand Painted Bolting Cloth Throw.

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Fancy Silk Fringes of all kinds.

Fancy Cords in all the Newest Shades.

Immense Variety of Fancy Ornaments. Pom Poms, Crochet Tassels, etc.

Fancy Painted Plushes, Balsam Fir Pillows, Down Head Rests

Stamped Goods, Tidies, Scarfs, Splashes, Tray Cloths, Doylies and Painted Bolton Table Covers

Linen Scrims, Etching, Wash and Knitting Silks, Arisene, Ribbons, Silk and Linen Floss, Rope Linen and Rope Silk, Chenille Appliques, Uncovered Pin-cushions and Pin-cushion covers.

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And the ruddy glow of the firelight
Danced on her golden hair.

"I am building a castle, mother,"
My little maid replied;
"And these are the walls around it,
And here is the gateway wide,
And this is a funny stairway
To climb up by the side."

The busy, flitting flingers
Went on with their pretty play,
And the castle's walls were rising
In the falling winter day,
When a sudden, luckless motion,
And all our fun lay!

Ah, merry little builder,
The years with stealthy feet
May bring full many a vision
Of castles rare and sweet,
To rule like your baby pasture,
To rain sad and sweet.

You laugh o'er the toy walls fallen;
So sunshine follows him,
And we may smile, looking backward,
At ruined shrine and tame,
While the heart both shattered temples
It may not build again.

—Sunshine

THE REFUGEES.

Having lived in East Tennessee for several years previous to the war, although in Ohio when hostilities actually began, I knew the country from Knoxville to the North Carolina line on the east, and from Knoxville to the Kentucky line on the north, very thoroughly. I had gone over almost every mile of every highway, and I knew many of the mountain trails and short cuts. I had been surveying and mapping public and private lands, and this was a work calculated to familiarize me with the country. I was in Rogersville only three months before the opening gun, and I knew that a strong Union sentiment prevailed among the mountaineers. I at once made my way to the northern edge of the thicket, where I could overlook the road descending into the valley as well as a part of the valley itself, and a brief observation satisfied me that we were being pursued. I saw a score of mounted men riding down the road, and another body in the valley below, and their actions showed them to be in a state of excitement. We had no doubt been tracked as far as the picket post, but from that point our pursuers were uncertain whether we had pushed on or selected ourselves.

While the people of other sections of the south were enthusiastic for war, the mountaineers of East Tennessee and western North Carolina, with very few exceptions, were against it. They argued so well and so persistently as to call forth the bitter enmity of the Confederate government, and such of them as entered the Confederate ranks were forced to join under penalty of being shot down in their tracks. When they realized that war was inevitable, and that they must take sides, there was a general movement to escape to the north and join the Union forces. The hardships, perils and tribulations of these refugees have only been faintly outlined. Where one got through the lines five were killed by the soldiers on watch to intercept them. Where one family reached the Union lines entire, a dozen were broken and scattered, never to be reunited.

In the summer of 1862, acting under military orders, I made my way from Richmond, Ky., into the Blue Ridge mountains together and bring out as large a band as possible. After more or less personal peril, mostly from guerillas and bushwhackers, I reached the locality I had in view, which was a neighborhood in a cove on one of the branches of the Tennessee river. A few young men had been recruited for the Confederate service, but as yet no force had been used to secure recruits. Separation of local known were beating up the districts for recruits for guerrilla cavalry companies, and every avenue of escape to the north was closed and carefully guarded. I went into the mountains in the guise of a purchasing agent for the Confederate government, and as I had been liberally supplied with both Confederate money and gold, I was in a position to carry out my role. Those who knew me personally did not know what my sentiments were until secretly informed, and as I happened to be busily looking after horses and mules, the Confederates seemed to have no suspicions.

Within a week after my arrival I found that twenty-one men were desirous of making an attempt to reach the Union lines in Kentucky. The master had been talked over previous to my arrival, but no decisive steps taken. The leader in the movement was a man of about 30, named Joe Penfield. He had been married only about four months before my appearance at the cove. While uneducated, he was intelligent far beyond his class, and he realized that the struggle would be fierce and bloody and one to last for years. He felt that every one capable of bearing arms must take sides, and as his love for the Union was strong, he was impatient to get away. One of the greatest difficulties encountered at the outset was the fact that at least half the men wanted to take their families along. We had a journey of over 100 miles on an air line before us. As we should be obliged to travel the distance would be fifty miles, and every mile of it in peril of our lives.

Our way would be over mountains, through forests and thickets, across creeks and rivers, and exposed to all sorts of weather and hardships, and I opposed the cove on our movements which the women would be certain to prove. Of the thirty in who wanted to go nine had from two to five children. I finally refused to lead any such party, knowing that we should be captured and shot within a day or two. This caused division of numbers. A mountaineer named Henderson, who had a wife and four children of his own, agreed to lead those having families, while I took the others. When ready to start I had ten men and three of them were to take their wives along. The women were Mrs. Penfield, Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Braxton, and were all under 30 and in robust health. Each one dressed in men's clothing and carried a shotgun.

Our party was to have two days' start of the other. It was ticklish business, holding meetings and perfecting arrangements, for there were plenty of Confederate citizens mixed up with the Unionists, and Confederate soldiers were marching and riding over the country. In most cases the men disposed of their live stock, but everything else had to be abandoned. Some of them had good crops and cozy homes, and had worked hard for a score of years to accumulate what they had. I did not, however, hear one single regret expressed at having to leave property and comfort behind, except that the Confederate government might profit thereby.

Our party got away soon after dark on the evening of August 15. We had appointed a rendezvous on the mountain, and at dusk everybody was there, fourteen of us in all. Each person carried a bundle containing clothing, blankets and provisions, and each had a rifle or shotgun. The women could not have been told from the men by their dress, and each had on a pair of new stout boots, purchased for the occasion. Every family would be missed next day, and the conclusion in each case would be such as to encourage every effort for recapture.

At about 9 o'clock, having planned the order of march and given instructions bearing upon emergencies, I took the lead straight up the side of Smoky mountain, which is one of the spurs of the Alleghenies, beginning near Clinton and running into Kentucky and Virginia. We had three of these spurs to cross before reaching the Cumberland mountains, on the state line, and between each spur was a valley and a river. Our route for the first

twelve miles was over a country thinly inhabited, and we had no alarms. We had made about sixteen miles and had descended the spur almost to its northeastern base, when we had our first encounter, and I saw what material the men were composed. We were following the mountain trails, walking by twos and every one on the alert, when we caught sight of a fire at a bend in the trail ahead of us. Penfield crept forward to investigate, and after a quarter of an hour returned and reported a Confederate picket. He had only seen one man, and he was asleep on his post, but from the looks of things he believed others to be in camp near by. The picket had been stationed here to intercept refugees, and further progress by the trail was blocked.

After consultation we turned to the left, but before we could flank the picket we met with such a sheer descent that we had to turn back. Penfield and two others were sent to the right, and in a little time returned and reported the way clear, and we soon passed the danger. Descending almost to the valley we turned to the left and entered a dense pine thicket just as day was breaking. It was only after I had seen blood on Penfield's clothes that he explained that in scouting to the right his party had stumbled over a soldier wrapped in his blanket, and the outcry he had been about to make was prevented by a thrust from a hunting knife which reached his heart. This occurrence was to be deplored, but no one could be blamed for it. We retired into the thicket until there was no danger of being seen, and then four men were posted as sentinels, and the others ate bread and meat and lay down to sleep. The forenoon passed quietly away, and at 1 o'clock three others and myself relieved the sentinels. I at once made my way to the northern edge of the thicket, where I could overlook the road descending into the valley as well as a part of the valley itself, and a brief observation satisfied me that we were being pursued. I saw a score of mounted men riding down the road, and another body in the valley below, and their actions showed them to be in a state of excitement. The nursery rhyme tells us of King Alfred's "bad pudding of barley meal, with raisins and meat." The frying pan, Mr. Hazlett says, preceded the grill, "just as the fork lagged behind the spoon, from which it is a seeming evolution." For centuries in England there was a prejudice against the fork, which displaced the fingers, and forks at first were the privilege only of kings. When Corvay employed one after his visit to Italy, where the instrument originated in the Eleventh century, he was nicknamed Furifer. It took six hundred years, until the Seventeenth century, to establish it England, and even then it did not attain general use. A country boor "still eats his bacon or life, larding with his fingers, just as Charles XII of Sweden buttered his bread with his royal thumb."

It is said that the origin of washing the hands before eating arose from the fact that food at dinner was eaten wholly—all around the table dipping into one dish—with the hands. Now, with the finger bowl, an addition ends, as well as precedes the meal. Carving knives, like the fork, were at first a luxury, and as late as the close of the Fifteenth century were confined to king's tables and those of the nobility. Butter was not much used in England before the Norman conquest, although the Englishman, unlike the Italian, had need for a substitute. Of the introduction of sugar there is no certain date given. Mr. Hazlett thinks it must have been scarce and dear in 1226, when Henry III asked the mayor of Winchester to procure him three pounds of Alexander in sugar, as so much could be got, and also some rose and violet colored sugar; nor had it grown more plentiful when the same prince ordered the sheriffs of London to send him four leavers of sugar to Woodstock. Before the end of the Thirteenth century, however, it gained ground and could generally be produced. It was then sold by the pound or pound at what would be 6d. to 7d. a pound in American currency.

There were several kinds of bread used in the Fifteenth century. Plain white bread made of very white flour. In addition to this there was to be had coarse "wheat bread, also barley meal bread, bran bread, pea bread, oat bread or oat cakes, hard bread and unleavened bread." Pea lentils and oatmeal were sometimes mixed for bread for the poor. Certain coarse fish were once eaten which have not been in modern times much esteemed. Porpoise pie, once eaten, was finally ridiculed in the time of James I as "a dish which not even a dog would eat," although in our own times the Hudson river sturgeon, "every like porpoise," that used to be called "Albany beef," perhaps so called because the early Dutch may have gone to that city's market to get it.

COOKERY IN THE SEVENTEENTH CENTURY. In the Seventeenth century English cookery began to improve and took hints from the continental nations. Travel increased and tourists brought home recipes like the following: "To make a Portugal dish," "To make a Virginia dish," "A Persian dish," "A Spanish Olla," etc. The following also were probably by travelers: "To make the Lady Abergevyn's cheese," "Lord Conway's receipt for amber puddings," "To make a posset, the Earl of Arundel's way." When the fame of foreign dishes was well established French and Italian cooks came to England and entered service. But the opposition to French cookery was heard from none more voices. Mr. Hazlett says Charles Lamb in more modern times did not like it. The critics of the time said it disgusted the real flavor of the meat. It might do for a hot climate, but "it is here," says the author of "Antiquities Culinaire," "the art of spoiling good meat."

Addison says that living in the days of Queen Anne was plain and plentiful. A dinner was only two courses. "Two plain dishes," he says, "with two or three good natured, cheerful, ingenuous friends, would make me more pleased and vain than all that pomp and luxury can bestow." Dinner then, as later, was the main meal. Addison says: "The English eat a great deal at dinner. They rest a while and to it again till they have quite stuffed their paunch. Then supper is moderate—gluttons at noon and abstainers at night. I heard that they were great flesh eaters, and I found it true." Many people in England, he says, "never eat any bread, while they chew meat by whole mouthfuls. Their vegetables fairly swim in grease." Deep potations were common everywhere. You see so late as in Dickens' novels how good cheer in eating and drinking is really an English inheritance. The English pudding came down from two or more centuries ago, and it was made, says Mississ, "fifty different ways," but always with meats and sweets. And he describes it 200 years ago as most excellent. To come in pudding time is as much as to say to come in the most lucky moments in the world. Blood puddings and marrow puddings abounded.—Joel Beeton in New York Herald.

Every Man His Own Photographer. The latest thing in sun picturing is a self acting photographic apparatus by which the operator can take his or her own picture without the aid of a professor of the art. Perhaps some people will now find out how ugly they really are, and have no one to blame it on except themselves. It may be added that the machine is a nickel-in-the-slot affair at present, but it will soon get outside such narrow limits as that.—Chicago Herald.

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MORNING REVIEW

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1889.

GENERAL AND PERSONAL.

The minstrel to-night.
Miss Kate Doyle is quite sick.
Supt. J. S. Goodrich was in Decatur last night.
Mrs. Frank Young left for Chicago last night.
Dr. Will Haworth left for Chicago last night.
Tom Baldwin went to Pana last night to visit relatives.
F. E. Wilson, of Macon, is visiting Decatur friends.
Miss Rose Gavet was in Decatur yesterday from Monticello.
Thomas Walmsley made a business trip yesterday to Sullivan.

Dr. J. H. Eddy left for Pana last evening on professional business.

Clyde E. Boyer is very sick at his home, 541 North Jackson street.

John Welsh, of Clyde, N. Y., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Funn.

Dr. Leslie, of Elwin, was in the city yesterday laying in supplies.

Harry Ehrman left for Fayette, Mo., yesterday, to be gone some time.

Mrs. J. D. Roth leaves to-day to join her husband in Pennsylvania.

W. H. Barton, of Oklahoma, is visiting his sister, Mrs. F. A. Laforgue.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Conklin returned last night from a visit at Chicago.

Rev. T. D. Weems and wife, of Cerro Gordo, were in the city yesterday.

Oliver Koeppe is very sick and Officer Miller did duty on the levee last night.

J. G. Drennan, prominent attorney of Taylorville, is in the city on business.

Mrs. D. A. Hunter returned yesterday from a visit of some months in the east.

Martin Brogan came down last night from Chicago, where he has been since Sunday.

Died—of general fainting The Decatur Debating Society. Requiescat in pace.

Born, Dec. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Piffer, 964 North Morgan street, a 13-pound boy.

M. Maxon of the consolidated tank company left yesterday for Cincinnati on business.

Mrs. R. E. Pratt, Miss Mary Roby and Mrs. W. E. Haworth went to Chicago yesterday.

Charles Olsen has just completed a sombre bairn on his lot on East Cerro Gordo street.

Charles Sullivan, who went to Chicago Monday, will stay there, as he has a good position.

Miss Emma Hunter, of Hallville, Ill., is visiting with Mrs. Skinner, 875 North Edward street.

J. L. Montgomery, a barber at Blue Mound, was in the city yesterday moving to Lovington.

G. F. Howard, editor of the Paris Beacon and Past Grand Master of the L. O. O. F., is in the city.

Miss Gertrude Barr returned yesterday to her home at Atganta, after a visit in Decatur of several days.

Miss Maggie Joy returned to her home at Bement yesterday after a visit in Decatur of a few days.

Frank Harbert, a wielder of the birch at Mt. Zion, is in the city visiting his cousin, Mrs. Harry Midkiff.

Elder Hiram Buck and wife left yesterday afternoon for a visit at Jacksonville, Versailles and Quincy.

Merrill DeWitt, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Livingston, 516 East Orchard street, is seriously ill.

J. G. Cloyd, of 337 North Church street, is enjoying a visit from his friend, S. H. Thomas, of Elizabethtown, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Grove will go to housekeeping next Monday in their new home, 130 South Edward street.

Mrs. R. E. Lathrop 705 North Main street arrived home last night after a three months' visit in New York State.

Mrs. Dr. Catto left last night for a business trip to a small town near London, Ont. She will be gone but a few days.

J. W. W. Brown and wife of Windsor, Ill., who have been visiting friends here, left yesterday to visit at Argenta and Cisco. S. S. McKinney, editor of the Bement Reveille, has allowed that paper to expire a natural death, and will move to Decatur at once.

Decatur citizens are beginning to annex Chicago property to their belongings, the last one investing being John P. Carlton.

Miss Hattie Cass, of Springfield, returned home yesterday after a visit in Decatur with her friend, Miss Ceora Kretzer, on West Main street.

Mrs. Mary J. Palmer, Mrs. Wilshaw, of Albany, N. Y., Mrs. C. A. Ewing and her daughter, Miss Marian, will leave to-night for Chicago.

The ladies of the W. R. C. set out a magnificent supper last night for the Calumet Club, which had its usual dancing party on ladies' night.

Paul Hickert, a former resident of Decatur, now living in Peoria, arrived in the city yesterday and will remain for a few days, winding up some business matters.

Last night Coeur de Leon Lodge, No. 17, K. of P., conferred the rank of Square on Charles Cacklin, and the rank of Knight on William Krigbaum and Archibald Tuttle.

Mrs. Sarah Yantis, mother of William Yantis, the grocer, sold out her property in Shelby county this week, and will at once move to Decatur to make her home.

Al Diehl, head miller at Hatfield's mill, has returned from a six-weeks' trip in the west. He thinks there is no place like Decatur, and will commence work this morning at the mill.

Paul Heiskish, who has been in Bavaria for several months past, has returned and has taken a position in O. Ewing's sewing machine and bicycle emporium. He will have charge of repairs.

Rice Logan formerly of this county arrived in the city yesterday from Pueblo, Colo., where he now resides, and will remain some time visiting his father, David Logan and other relatives.

George F. Howard, of Paris, and D. W. Voorhees, Jr., of Danville, son of the "tall sycamore of the Wabash," were prominent citizens of their own communities who were visitors yesterday to Decatur.

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She has gone to her rest in peace;
She sleeps with the quiet dead.
Her toll and cares forever cease,
Her every tear is shed.

Police Pickings.

W. J. Murray's case for embezzlement was continued until next Tuesday.

Officer Leech arrested "the sweet singer of Mountie" last night and he will be given a trial this afternoon before Justice Foster.

Last night Officer Leech informed the new captain of the Salvation Army that no more beating of drums would be allowed on Sunday.

The case of Hattie E. Blanton against G. W. Wilson and wife, for board bill, was dismissed yesterday by Justice Curtis, the plaintiff failing to appear.

The Polock with the vicious dog and the Greek alphabetical name was fined \$5 and costs yesterday by Judge Provost for keeping a dangerous dog.

The Trotting Association.

The members of the Decatur Trotting association met in the parlors of the St. Nicholas hotel and organized by electing

Burrows, chairman and R. R. Montgomery secretary. After a general discussion by members, the following board of directors were elected:

John Ulrich, Ed. Brennenman, J. B. Burrows, B. Z. Taylor, D. F. Held, C. M. Caldwell and A. S. Waltz. This board is to act as a committee to effect a lease of the grounds and track now being built on the grounds of D. W. Brennenman, north of the city, and also to draw up a constitution and set of by-laws, the same to be submitted to a meeting of the stockholders on next Monday night. The meeting then adjourned until the 16th, when permanent organization will be effected.

Stricken With Apoplexy.

Mrs. Mary J. Cader, living at 279 East Bradford street, was stricken with apoplexy early yesterday morning, and all day lay in unconscious condition. She was not expected to live last night. Her sister, Mrs. Margaret Montgomery, a teacher at the Sangamon street school, closed her room yesterday and it will remain closed to-day.

3 a.m.—Word has just been received that Mrs. Cader is rapidly sinking and cannot live till morning.

A New Policeman.

John Winebrenner, who has been a merchant policeman in Decatur for five years, has resigned, and yesterday turned his star and tis of merchants by whom he was employed, over to John G. Stober. That officer has 55 business men on his list. His record is so well known that the business men are glad to have him on the beat again. Mr. Winebrenner's resignation will be learned of with regret by his many friends.

O. E. S. Officers.

The Order of the Eastern Star elected new officers last night, as follows:

W. M.—Mrs. George R. Steele.

W. P.—C. L. Hoey.

A. M.—Mrs. J. B. Bullard.

Secretary—Miss Nellie Howes.

Treasurer—Mrs. W. F. Bush.

C.—Mrs. M. W. Schultz.

A. C.—Mrs. I. D. Walker.

He Paid Her Fare.

A woman with a three-year-old child applied to Officer Baylor yesterday for transportation to Green Valley. She said her husband was killed there last summer. The woman is a romancer and has frequently passed through this city, asking help and telling different stories of "how it happened to her." Officer Baylor bought her a ticket for Clinton and saw her onboard a train yesterday morning.

Tried To-Day.

T. J. McDermott tried for robbing at Lathan without having procured a horse will occur to-day in that village. Mr. Bush will accompany Mr. McDermott as his attorney, and the case will be fought if necessary to the highest courts.

Cox Again.

Willis Beck the father of the betrayed girl spoken of in yesterday's REVIEW, and the sheriff of Shelby county arrived in the city last night and will take Charles Cox back with them to-day for trial.

A Mine Alarm.

The REVIEW received information last night from Tuscola that the report of the cutting affray between two farmers named Krow and Stolly on Wednesday is untrue and originated in the brain of an overzealous reporter for a Chicago paper.

I. O. G. T.

The County Lodges of Good Templars met yesterday in the beautiful hall on North Water street and although THE REVIEW tried, it didn't succeed in getting a report of the proceedings. It was well attended however, and all the lodges were represented.

Atchison Globe.

Next to England, little Holland is the greatest colonial power in the world. The Dutch colonies have an area of nearly \$0,000 square miles, which includes some of the finest colonial possessions in the world.

The Jay Abroad.

Signs of the jay abroad. He has a quarrel with the tick agent before getting his ticket; he says good-by to every one in trading distance before getting on the train, and then says the same thing through the car window; he leaves his final instructions with the solemnity and importance of making a will; he asks the conductor and all the passengers around him twenty different times if they are sure he is on the right train; he puts up the window, only to put it down again and then to hoist it up again; he finds out about his neighbor's business; he piles his bag around him like a bar reader; he prepares to take a nap, but can't go to sleep for fear some one will rob him; he begins to collect his baggage and sits nervously on the edge of the seat, for fear he will not have time to get out, half an hour before the train reaches his station, and, finally, at the end of an hour's journey, when he reaches his destination and gets out, he rushes back after the train has started to pick up something he had forgotten. The jay is a great traveler.

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WITH MILITARY HONORS

The Remains of Jefferson Davis
Laid to Rest.

IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL CEREMONIES.

Thousands of visitors from surrounding cities pay their last tribute to the dead—The services conducted by Bishop Gallagher—An imposing funeral procession—Governors for pall-bearers—Memorial services elsewhere.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 11.—The weather Wednesday morning was perfectly beautiful and from daylight until the hour fixed for the obsequies the streets leading to the city hall were thronged with men, women and children of all ages, sizes and descriptions, crowding their way to the municipal building where the remains of the late president of the Confederacy were lying in state. The morning trains brought in thousands of visitors from the surrounding cities, including most of the military companies located near New Orleans.

The Funeral Procession.

The funeral procession was formed as follows: Lieut. Gen. John B. Gordon, honorary grand marshal; Maj. Gen. John Gwynn, Jr., grand marshal; aids to grand marshal, detachment of city police, military escort consisting of the troops of the First military district and visiting military, clergy, attending physicians and pall-bearers in carriages, family of the deceased in carriages, Confederate Veterans' associations, local and visiting; Ladies' Confederate Monument association and distinguished ladies guests in carriages, governor of Louisiana, members of the general assembly and visiting governors; judges of the supreme, circuit and district courts of Louisiana; state officials, foreign consuls, officers of other states, judges of the United States circuit and district courts, United States officials, officers of the army and navy of the United States, mayor and city government of New Orleans, officials of New Orleans, representatives of commercial bodies, masonic bodies, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Knights of Honor and kindred organizations, faculty and students of Tulane university, Catholic Knights of America, British shipmasters and officers of vessels in the port of New Orleans, civil, religious and benevolent associations and clubs, the department of the city of New Orleans.

The Pall-Bearers.

The following were the pall-bearers: Governors Nichols of Louisiana, Lowry of Mississippi, Buckner of Kentucky, Gordon of Georgia, Richardson of South Carolina, Fowler of North Carolina, Fleming of Florida, Eagle of Arkansas. The pall-bearers met in the mayor's parlor at 11 o'clock. The funeral ceremonies were commenced at 11:30. The ceremonies were conducted by Bishop Gallagher. Dr. Markham read the lesson. Father Hubert said a prayer, and Dr. Thomas J. Martin sang the psalm. The choir of St. Paul's Episcopal church then sang, "Though I Walk Through the Valley of the Shadow of Death."

Impressive Ceremonies.

Bishop Gallagher read the creed and delivered an address, which, though brief, was very effective. The ceremony was most impressive and the entire assembly stood with bowed heads while the services were being conducted. Mrs. Jefferson Davis and her daughter, Mrs. Hayes, and T. H. Fenner and family occupied carriages in front of the hall during the ceremonies. The procession was the largest ever seen in the south. The services at the grave were conducted by Bishop Gallagher and Thompson, and were in accordance with the ritual of the Episcopal church.

SOUTHERN CITIES IN MOURNING.
Memorial Services Held in Atlanta, Lynchburg and Elsewhere.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 11.—Memorial services were held Wednesday in almost every town in Georgia during the hour of the funeral of Mr. Davis. In Atlanta the services were held at the state capitol, which was profusely draped in mourning. The procession to the capitol, to the music of a band, was a mile long, the Confederate survivors of the city leading. Over a thousand school children, the military and the fire department, with apparatus draped in mourning, were in line. Business was generally suspended during the morning.

In Other Cities.

At Winchester, Va., the bells were tolled, stores were closed and business suspended during the Davis memorial services, which were held from noon to 12:30. The services were attended by the Confederate veterans and citizens. At Lynchburg, Va., memorial services were held in all the Episcopal churches of the city at noon, and the city bells were tolled in memory of Jefferson Davis. The Jefferson Davis memorial services were attended by the local military and Confederate veterans at Charlottesville, Va. Bells were rung and business suspended.

The Stewart Will Case.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Surrogate Benson has signed an order under which Henry Hilton and Charles J. Clinch, the executors of Mrs. Cornellia M. Stewart, will be able to make a settlement with the heirs who contested the will. The order provides that the executors shall have power to execute any agreements or instruments relating to property which belonged to Mrs. Stewart at the time of her death, or to any income or the proceeds thereof which the executors would have had the right to execute if the proceedings for the revocation of the probate of the will had not been brought, provided the surviving heirs shall accept such agreements.

Secretary Noble at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 11.—Secretary Noble of the interior department appeared in the law and equity court here Tuesday as counsel for the defense in the Fahnenberg will case. There was a large crowd, including a number of leading society ladies present to hear his argument. He appeared handsomely but plainly dressed, and talked without any apparent effort. His language was at times highly ornate, and reached as near eloquence as the nature of the case permitted.

Big Failure in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The large wholesale coal-dealing firm of Alpers & Swarthout, whose offices are in the Washington building, 1 Broadway, is in serious trouble. The rumor of the failure was circulated Tuesday afternoon and the amount of liabilities was variously stated, the best authorities placing the figure at \$200,000.

Miss Stokes Will Marry a Baron.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The engagement has been announced of Miss Helen Phelps Stokes, daughter of Anson Phelps Stokes, the millionaire of this city, to Baron Hailecott, of England.

Miss Stokes will marry a Baron.

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FOUR PEOPLE DROWNED

Peculiar and Distressing Accident in Wisconsin.

MOTHER AND THREE CHILDREN LOST

A 6-Year-Old Son Breaks Through the Ice and His Mother, Sister and Brother Follow Him—A Constant Feeling of Foreboding of Coming Misfortune at Johnstown—Cloud-Burst in California—Destructive Cyclone in Indiana.

PORT WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—A terrible and peculiar drowning accident occurred Wednesday by which a mother and her three children were drowned at Saukville, on the Milwaukee river. A 6-year-old son of Claude Augustin went to the river bank and ventured on the ice. It suddenly broke and he fell into the water. His mother heard his cry and rushed to his rescue. Frantically throwing herself into the icy water she endeavored to save her drowning boy. In a few moments she was beyond her depth and drowning herself. Her 17-year-old daughter, Augusta, heard the cries and hastened to the spot. Seeing her mother in the water she rushed to her rescue. The ice broke with her and she was thrown into the chilling current, and mother and daughter locked themselves together in a death struggle and sunk beneath the water and ice.

He Wanted His Mamma.

They were just disappearing when a 4-year-old son of Mrs. Augustin, who had been with the sister, toddled out on the ice. With plaintive cries of "Mamma, mamma, I want you," he ran over the ice until he reached the hole in which his mother, his sister, and his brother were buried. The little fellow saw his mother and sister sink and threw himself, as he supposed, into his mother's arms. In an instant he was carried beneath the ice. A man named Christian Neissen saw the tragedy but was powerless to render any aid. He was on rotten ice and broke in several times before he reached the spot where the family had been wiped out. When finally got there they had disappeared. The body of Mrs. Augustin was recovered, but the bodies of the children cannot be found.

THEY LOOK FOR MISFORTUNE.

The People of Johnstown in a Highly Nervous Condition.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 12.—The accident at the Parker Opera house Tuesday night is an awful illustration of the highly nervous condition of a large number of people of this unfortunate city. Under ordinary circumstances and before the flood there would have been no catastrophe. There has been a disposition to draw moral conclusions from the Conemaugh calamity, and it has fastened itself upon many exitable people. Some of these intended to went through experiences of May which left a deeper and more injurious mental warp than has been comprehendible to them or by their friends.

"Johnstown Is Under a Curse."

It has been an unconscionable time to hear such remarks as, "Well, I wonder what will happen next?" You can expect anything now." "We have had flood, now look out for fire." Johnstown is under a curse.

There has been an undefined but unmistakable feeling of foreboding of coming ill, and this is what led to the slaughter last Tuesday night. Those who first started out of the house went from curiosity to see where the fire was, but they did so excitedly, and the instant effect was a panic. The bell which struck the alarm of fire was so close to the theatre that it seemed to be sounding in the building itself, and never was confusion more precipitate and awful among human beings.

CLOUD-BURST IN CALIFORNIA.

Five Houses Swept Away and One Person Drowned—Narrow Escapes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—About 10:30 Wednesday night a cloud-burst occurred in a mountain canyon near Boulder creek, Santa Cruz county, and a flood of water many feet high came roaring down the narrow valley. Five houses, with their sleeping occupants, were swept away like eggshells. The people in the houses were in bed at the time and were taken completely by surprise. Joe Easton and his wife occupied one of the houses. The people on the banks saw them swept away by the torrent, clasped in each other's arms. The men ran down the stream in the hope of saving them.

The Rescue of Mrs. Easton.

A quarter of a mile below the spot where the cottage had stood a cry for help was heard, and Mrs. Easton was found clinging to the bank and rescued. She had been struck by the drifting logs as she was swept down stream and was badly bruised. Easton's body was found in a pile of drift, about a half mile down the stream. A man and wife named Francis, who lived in one of the other cottages, had a narrow escape. When when they realized their danger the water was rushing past their house six feet deep. They saw that the house would not stand, and sprang through a window into the water. After great exertions they succeeded in reaching the bank. There were several other narrow escapes, but, although all in the houses were badly bruised, no one but Easton was lost.

CYCONE IN INDIANA.

Houses Unrooted and Trees and Fences Blown Down.

RICHMOND, Ind., Dec. 12.—News reached this city of destruction by a cyclone about four miles north, in the vicinity of Chester. A hanging black cloud dipped low toward the earth, parted, and then, with two deafening claps of thunder and vivid lightning, the storm broke. The track of the cyclone was less than one-half mile in width, and the damage was principally in small losses, trees, corn in shock, and orchards, but a large barn on the Longfellow farm was carried away in fragments, and Arthur Hampton's barn was taken from its foundation.

No Casualties Reported.

In the vicinity of Dublin the storm was also very severe, but, as at Chester, there were no casualties, although the losses were greater. Capt. Samuel Watson's house was literally ruined, as were his out-buildings. He had \$500 insurance on his house and some on his barn, but the loss is about as many thousands. Cyrus Coffin's barn and part of his house were also unrooted in the neighborhood. Near Keenora Cyrus Wise's barn was razed to the ground and Harrison Cook's was unrooted, but the houses escaped with the loss of their chimneys.

Diphtheria at Fort Dodge, Iowa.

FORT DODGE, Iowa, Dec. 12.—A threatening epidemic of diphtheria is causing much apprehension here. A young daughter of Mrs. Patrick O'Hara died late Tuesday night and six others in the family are stricken with

the disease. A daughter of Bartley Gilday died Wednesday. An investigation by Mayor Pearson and City Physician Palmer discloses over a dozen well developed cases of dangerous diphtheria and throat afflictions resembling it. All possible quarantine precautions are being taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

Mysteriously Missing.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12.—J. G. Dittman, of the Quaker City National bank, and a prominent man in business circles, is mysteriously missing. He went for a drive in the park Wednesday afternoon and at 6 o'clock Thursday evening the team was found alone. It is thought that Mr. Dittman has been drowned in the Schuylkill river.

The Company Responsible.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The coroner's jury in the case of Henry Harris, who was killed by an electric shock in front of the store where he was employed, on Nov. 30, returned a verdict Wednesday censuring the Brush Electric Light company for carelessness, and finding that company solely responsible for the death of Mr. Harris.

Narrow Escape from Cremation.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Dec. 12.—The Star shoe store, belonging to H. & W. Nofolt, was totally burned Wednesday night, entailing a loss of \$25,000. Several families in the upper floors lost their furniture and had narrow escapes, the firemen helping to carry out the children. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Killed by a Cave-in.

BUTLER, Pa., Dec. 12.—Thursday morning a cave-in occurred at Randy's coal bank a mile south of town, killing one man, name unknown, and fatally injuring Frank Bauff.

BURIED TREASURE FOUND.

TWO BROTHERS SECURE A POT CONTAINING \$7,000 IN GOLD DUST.

PLATSMOUTH, Neb., Dec. 12.—A copper pot containing gold dust to the amount of \$7,000 was unearthed near here Wednesday by two brothers, A. R. and P. E. Teeter, of Charleston, S. C. The discovery was made about two miles south of this city. It had been buried by their uncle in 1860, and had remained since unmoled. Henry Hopkins, the man who buried the treasure, was a 49'er, and on his way back from California was attacked by thieves at Plattsburgh, but managed to save his gold. For fear of being again attacked Hopkins buried the dust and wrote to his brother describing the spot where he had hidden it.

A Successful Search.

This is the last that was heard of the miner and he is supposed to have been murdered. His brother came to Plattsburgh in 1866 and searched for the gold, but failed to find it, and it was given up for lost. Recently the two nephews of the old miner came across the letter telling of the buried gold, among their mother's effects. They at once came to this city and two weeks ago started on the search which terminated successfully.

MORE MONEY FOR IRELAND.

DETROIT, Dec. 12.—Rev. Dr. Reilly, treasurer of the Irish National Land League, Thursday, cabled \$15,000 to Dr. Kenny, treasurer of the Irish League, for the use of the tenants' defense fund. Dr. Reilly in an interview said: "The need of funds for the league was never more urgent. The Irish people are entering upon the last stages of their agitation. A desperate struggle is on between the tenants and landlords of Ireland. The landlords recognize that their tenure is doomed. I shall be sorely disappointed if the Irish in America and their sympathizers desert the tenants in this last and most heroic of their efforts to extricate themselves from the cursed system that has been so long sucking the blood out of their veins and weighing upon their spirits."

Injunction Against Short-top Ward.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Within two weeks the first injunction restraining a member of the New York League Base ball club of 1889 from playing with any other club during 1890 will probably be issued. This member will be John Montgomery Ward, the famous short-top. The other members of the New York club of 1889 will then be enjoined in turn as rapidly as possible. Not only will the National league magnates thus proceed against the old New York players, but every National League club of the season of 1890 will enjoin each of its players who come under the head of "reserved." This is given upon the authority of Lawyer George F. Dwyer, attorney for the New York club.

Combination Among English Companies.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The enormous collieries and furnaces in Staffordshire, employing thousands of men, are combining with the Shelton Iron and Steel company, employing many thousands more, in a common enterprise designed to control the trade in iron, steel and coal, and have invited the co-operation of several other firms and companies. As the movement is also a blow at the existing wages, small as they are, the announcement of the enterprise has spread consternation among the employees.

Railway Strike in Washington.

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 12.—The strike on the Cascade division of the Northern Pacific railroad has not been settled, though a conference was held Wednesday between a committee of strikers and Superintendent Powell of Ellensburg. The men are confident of winning the battle, which has been on since last Sunday night. Not a single freight train has moved in or out of Tacoma since the strike began. A large quantity of valuable bonded freight is piled up on the side tracks for a distance of 250 miles.

The Western Union's Surplus.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The quarterly report of the Western Union Telegraph company, issued Wednesday, shows a net revenue for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1889, based upon nearly completed returns for November, and estimating the business for December of about \$2,000,000; add surplus of Oct. 1, \$9,305,208.63; total: \$11,305,208.63; from which deduct the appropriations for interest on bonds, sinking funds and 2 per cent. dividend, leaving the surplus \$3,350,327.55.

Justus H. Rathbone's Funeral.

UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 12.—The funeral of the late Justus H. Rathbone took place from the First Presbyterian church in this city at noon Thursday. The services were attended by the grand officers of the Knights of Pythias and members of lodges to this and other states. The floral tributes were profuse and rare. At the grave the services were conducted by the Knights and the ritual, which the deceased wrote, was read in so far as it pertained to the burial service.

More Wages for Workmen.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 12.—At a meeting of the Western Iron association next week the price of muck bar-iron is to be advanced to the 2-cent card rate. Under the rules of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers the workmen will then be entitled to an increase of wages. This is something that has not occurred in the middle of the scale year for a decade. About 60,000 workmen will be affected altogether.

No Respecter of Persons.

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—The spread of influenza throughout Berlin and many other parts of Germany is rapid and causing a great deal of suffering. Professor Virchow is one of the victims of the disease.

THE BALLOT BOX FRAUD

Congressman Butterworth Asks for an Investigation.

RASCALITY OF CASHIER SILCOTT.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEE MAKES A PARTIAL REPORT IN WHICH THE SERGEANT-AT-ARMS IS SEVERELY CENSURED FOR THE MANNER IN WHICH THE AFFAIRS OF HIS OFFICE ARE CONDUCTED—A PROTEST FROM CATHOLIC-CAPITAL CITY ITEMS.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 12.—In the house Thursday morning, immediately after the reading of the journal, Butterworth offered a resolution setting forth the charges of complicity in the ballot-box fraud made in The Cincinnati Commercial Gazette against members of the senate and house, and providing for the appointment by the speaker of a committee of five to investigate these charges. The resolution was adopted.

Gen. Sickles' Daughter Elopement.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Dec. 12.—An elopement came to light here Wednesday morning, when Thomas Dinhant and Miss Alta Sickles applied to the Rev. F. B. Van Kleeck, pastor of Grace Episcopal church, to get married. Miss Sickles is a daughter of Gen. Daniel Sickles by his second wife and a granddaughter of George F. Sickles, who died at New Rochelle about three years ago, leaving an estate valued at about \$2,000,000. Dinhant is about 25 years of age and is employed as a bartender at the New Rochelle. Miss Sickles, who is 18 years old, made the acquaintance of young Dinhant while visiting her grandfather's homestead.

Wedding of Deaf Mutes.

MANITO, ILL., Dec. 12.—Wednesday evening, at the Reformed church in this place, was solemnized the marriage of a pair of deaf mutes, Mr. Thomas J. Cranwell, of Manito, and Miss Ella Hallett, a pretty young lady of Crawford county, Ills. The marriage ceremony was performed in the sign language by Rev. Philip Gillett, LL.D., of the Institute for the Deaf and Dumb at Jacksonville. There was a large attendance of friends at the wedding and a very happy reception thereafter.

American Federation of Labor.

BOSTON, Dec. 12.—The first hour of Thursday's session of the Federation of Labor was occupied in the transaction of routine business. The committee on the report of President Gompers reported favorably on its various recommendations. A long discussion followed, which resulted in three of the recommendations being adopted. The first recommendation was referred back to the committee with instruction to insert the names of other than affiliated organizations, which are recommended in the report, to make a special effort to aid in organizing bakers and coal miners and boot and shoe makers. The fourth recommendation relating to stopping of conferences with the Knights of Labor was referred to a special committee with instructions to prepare an address to the people of America stating plainly the trade-union position of the federation.

Protests Against a Confirmation.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 12.—The Senate committee on Indian affairs has not yet concluded consideration of the nomination of Thomas J. Morgan to be commissioner of Indian affairs, or Mr. Dorchester, superintendent of Indian schools. A printed protest against his confirmation has been placed in the hands of individual senators on behalf of the Catholic church, claiming that they have disclaimed against Catholics in the matter of appointments and removals. A number of Grand Army posts also have protested against the confirmation of Morgan, on the ground that his army record was bad. The committee on Indian affairs at the meeting Thursday postponed action on these nominations till next week. The committee has not formally received protests against confirmation, but it is understood that it will receive them.

Nomination Confirmed.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 12.—In the secret session of the Senate Thursday afternoon, a number of nominations were reported favorably from the committee on foreign relations, and a number of army and navy appointments heretofore referred to committees were reported favorably. The confirmation of the nomination of Green B. Raum to be pension commissioner was ordered made public. The nominations of Joseph A. Clark, Frank C. Loveland and William H. Shulmer, pension agents respectively at Augusta, Me., New York, and Philadelphia, were confirmed. The commerce committee reported favorably the nomination of Thomas H. Sherman to be consul at Liverpool and several other consular nominations.

Mrs. Scott-Lord's Funeral.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 12.—The funeral of Mrs. Scott-Lord took place from the Church of the Incarnation at 11 o'clock Thursday. Dr. Townsend, the pastor, preached the funeral sermon. The church was crowded with relatives, friends and acquaintances of the deceased. The president and Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. McKee and Rev. Dr. Scott occupied mourners' seats. Secretary Blaine and Mrs. Blaine, Attorney General Miller and Mrs. Miller, Secretary Windom, Postmaster and Tracy, and Postmaster General Wanamaker of the cabinet were also present. Wanamaker of the cabinet were also present. The remains were interred in Rock Creek cemetery.

A Washington Editor Arrested.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 12.—E. W. Fox, president of The Washington Press Publishing company, was arrested here Wednesday afternoon on the charge of criminal libel preferred by Mrs. Stone, a clerk in the war department. The Press published an article to the effect that Mrs. Stone, while drawing a salary of \$100 per month from the government, besides a pension, permitted her aged father to become an inmate of the poor house.

Presidental Nominations.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 12.—The president sent to the Senate the nomination of Cyrus J. Fry of South Dakota, to be minister of the United States for the district of South Dakota; also a number of recess nominations, including Joel B. Erhardt, collector of customs at New York, and David W. McCullough, collector of internal revenue for the First Ohio district.

To Bridge the Detroit River.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 12.—The board appointed to examine the Detroit river and investigate the various plans proposed for bridging the stream has reported to the Senate committee on commerce that it is feasible to build a bridge over the Detroit river at Detroit.

A Demand by Secretary Blaine.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 12.—Secretary Blaine has made a demand on the king of Korea that the three Americans who were recently dismissed from the public service in that country be fairly treated and that all contracts with them be faithfully performed.

Fond Hearts Made Happy.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—In Christ church, New Brighton, Staten Island, Wednesday evening, before a fashionable crowd, Miss Minnie Effie Morrison Wiman, daughter of Erastus Wiman, was married to Norman Stewart Walker, Jr., of St. George. The bride wore a handsome gown of white brocade and point lace, and her point lace veil was caught with a diamond star, the groom's gift. The maid of honor was her sister, Miss Mattie, who was a pretty frock of pink full lace and carried a bunch of pink roses. Her bridesmaids were Miss Georgie and Miss Lillie Walker, sisters of the groom, Miss Ada Wortham, Miss Katherine Deere, of Molina, Ills.; Miss Grace Anderson, of Chicago, and Miss Ethel Frothingham, of Montreal. They wore Grecian gowns of white faille and crepe, and carried bouquets of pink mermaid roses, and their corsages were clasped with violet lace pins, the bride's gift.

Mr. Parnell Recovering.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Mr. Parnell writes that he is recovering from his cold and hopes to be able to speak at Nottingham Tuesday.

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FOR RENT A furnished room near the depot. Inquire of James Hill at R. S. Brown's store, on east Eldorado street.

FOR RENT Office rooms over Warren & Durkee's office also on second floor adjoining Massey's Emporium, apply to Theo. Coleman, at Howard & Son's office.

TO LET A well-furnished room with board in private family for one or two gentle men. Address, Box 371.

ROOMS TO RENT — I have a well-preserved residence for rent on very reasonable terms. For further information call on D. Hutchinson attorney at law, in Lawyer's Block.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE Fine and healthy Shouts, will weigh from 15 to 20 pounds, can be once and again sold at 25 per cent. three blocks south of Oakwood Park. H. H. Wise.

WANTED.

WANTED Three good men to sell for us either on our duty or commission. Address, May Brothers, Nutmeg Mfg. Co., Chester, N. Y.

WANTED—First-class board for lady and maid in private family. Reference exchanged. Answer to Decatur Review office.

WANTED Two girls for hotel work. Apply to G. W. Drysdale, Blue Mound, Ill.

WANTED—Steady work for the winter, in livery stable, manufactory or driving team. James Cudner. Inquire at Review office.

WANTED—Agents to canvass for books, good profit. Liberal cash premiums, call at 311 West Main St. at 9 o'clock, this morning.

WANTED—Sewing by a young lady, an experienced seamstress. Wishes to do sewing in families by the day. Call or address 51 East Edmund street.

WANTED—Reliable local and traveling salesman. Positions permanent. Special inducements now. Last fifteen years, Durkee, Cedar, Skokie, from start. BROWN BRIDGE, 5th Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Subscribers to solicit for our weekly newspaper. Good wages paid every week. Permanent employment guaranteed. Write to one before territory taken, starting at 1 HASKET BROS., Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—One dollar weekly payment plan is becoming so popular that we shall offer some extra inducements this week in second hand cravats for \$20 and upward with stock and book and term of lessons free. New Kimball, Haller and Davis, Boston and Philadelphia. Kitchen organs on easy payment. Orders for tuning and repair will receive prompt attention. Bennett's Music Store, 229 North Main street.

\$60 SALARY \$10 expenses in advance, allowed each month. Steady employment at home or traveling. No soliciting. Duties delivering and making collections. No post cards. Address with stamp, Haier & Co., Piqua, O.

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FOUND—At last the people have found out that Shoemaker & Richardson make the best pictures that can be had in this part of the world. Gallery at the corner of North and Water streets. Come before we move.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—\$20 will buy a new three room house and good lot. Cellar tidy, Apply to C. Perry, at Gehring's grocery store, 100 N. Water St. et al.

LAUNDRIES—Hop Home's laundry, No. 129 South Main street and 135 East Prairie street. Shirts, blouses, collars, 3 cts; cuffs, 8 cts; a pair; underwear, 2 for 15 cts. Work every day. He has added to his laundries a splendid Stock Fronting Machine. Collars ironed for 3 cents each, and cuffs 5 cents per pair.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE—The firm of Sorenson & Son is thus dissolved by mutual consent and all their assets and goodwill transferred to the new firm of The Decatur Cornice Works. J. G. SORRENSEN, J. W. SORRENSEN.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC—Special meeting of Macon Lodge A. F. & A. M. this Friday Evening at 7 o'clock, for work in first degree. C. L. Hovey

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Saturday Evening, December 14.

LECTURE BY



DR. MCCLYNN, SUBJECT.

HOW TO ABOLISH POVERTY.

Admission 25c and 50c. Reserved seats without extra charge, for sale at Grand Opera House beginning Thursday morning, Dec. 12.

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MORNING REVIEW

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1889.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Board at Combs' restaurant.

The Queen at Bachman Bros.'

Henry Bros. keep the best bread in the city.

Read S. M. Lutz's offer of special prices on organs.

Be sure to see Chamberlain's photographs.

Cuff and collar boxes in variety at Irwin's drug store.

Soft nut coal \$1.50 per ton delivered.—F. D. Caldwell.

Fine holiday goods at bottom prices at Irwin's drug store.

Remember Peake & Son for bargains in new style jewelry.

For pure drugs and fine holiday goods, go to Irwin's drug store.

Peake & Son knock all the jewelers out in display of fine goods.

Buy your drabs at the corner of Calhoun and Edmond streets.

Manicure sets and work boxes in variety at Irwin's drug store.

Good warm rooms at Combs' European hotel. Go there to board.

If you want a good, clean, wholesome lunch, go to Henry Bros.

Plush oyster cases in variety, at reduced prices, at Irwin's drug store.

Oxidized silver comb and brush and manicure sets at Irwin's pharmacy.

Go to Combs' restaurant and European hotel opposite Grand opera house.

Swell body and Portland sleighs and bobsleds for sale at Spencer & Lehman Co.

Remember Hunter has the Pioneer Brand of oysters at wholesale. Best in the market.

Go to the Spencer & Lehman company for feed cutters, feed grinders and corn shellers.

Elegant bronze goods at less than half the usual price at the City Book store. J. H. Evans.

Slaving parlor, 739 East Cerro Gordo street. Shaving and hair cutting in style C. B. Smith.

Toys, sleighs, fire engines, trains of cars, crying dolls and children's games at Morgan's Fancy Bazaar.

When you want anything in the grocery line, call on F. R. Culver, 760 North Church street, or telephone No. 8.

Awnings put up and fine upholstering and repairing of all kinds done to suit you by A. Bean, North Main.

Morgan's FANCY BAZAAR.—Before you buy, come and see the fine stock of holiday goods at 134 Merchant street.

Prudent housekeepers who want to preserve their reputation as breadmakers, should always use Hatfield's flour.

The largest and cleanest soft coal ever offered to the Decatur trade at \$1.50 per ton delivered.—F. D. CALDWELL.

Come to the "Standard" office in Library block on William street, and see how quick and nice it will make a button hole.

No more useful Christmas present can be given than a Merritt Typewriter. \$13. Office in Library Block, on William street.

There will be a masquerade dance at Guards' armory Thursday, Dec. 19th. Admission 50c. Ladies free. Good music and good order.

At the Decatur Musical college lessons are given in piano, violin, organ, harmony, theory and elocution. Pupils may enter at any time.

ALBUMS — Autograph and photographic albums in many pleasing new styles, at prices that will suit you at Morgan's Fancy Bazaar.

Bring your old shoes along and call on E. W. Chandler, tabernacle building. You will learn something to your advantage and comfort.

The handsomest and largest line of plush goods of all kinds ever displayed in Decatur, now on sale at the City Book store. J. H. Evans.

Photograph albums in plush and leather, of all sizes and shapes, from the finest to the cheapest, at the City Book store. J. H. Evans.

Morgan's FANCY BAZAAR is the finest art store in town and sells beautiful pictures, handsome frames and easels at prices that anyone can pay.

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Miss Cem. Fletcher has moved to 145 West Cerro Gordo street, where she will continue dressmaking and teaching the Fountain tailor system.

Books great, books small, books in sets, books for the rich, books for the poor, illustrated books, cheaper than the elocapest at the City Book store. J. H. Evans.

Beginning Nov. 1, I shall offer rare bargains to purchasers of pianos and organs which will be continued during the holidays. My stock is large and complete. Remember the date. C. B. PRISCOTT.

As no investment is cheaper than that made for education, 'tis the duty of parents to unite instruction with pleasure if possible. Teach boys and girls now to use the "Merritt" typewriter, and thus become highly proficient in spelling and punctuation.

Call at Bachman Bros. and see the Queen.

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For 31 years the public has been using the well known brands of flour manufactured by the Shellabarger mills, and as evidence of their popularity, the capacity of our mills has been increased from the little 50-barrel flour mill to our present 600-barrel full roller process mill, and our trade exceeds that of any mill in this state. This certainly proves that our flour still takes the lead. In the year 1879 we changed our mills from the burr system to the roller process, (the first mill in the state to use roller process on winter wheat) and at the same time changed our brands, White Wheat and XXXX, to the popular and well known White Loaf and Daily Bread brands. Since the change in our system and brands our competitors have been using every means possible to duplicate both our flour and brands. They find it impossible to do so, but in some instances have deceived the public by the similarity between their brands and ours—for at a glance one would see no difference between the brands, because the name, design and color are similar to our White Loaf and Daily Bread brands. Yet the quality of the flour will tell and the public will soon discover the difference. We would caution the public in reference to this, and to see that every sack has either White Loaf or Daily Bread branded on same and the full firm name. Thanking the public for the substantial evidence of their verdict as to the quality of our flour, we are

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To speak well of your competitor has always been a good business principle. We hope you may never sink so low as to slander and misrepresent our competitors in the effort to win trade. We don't get our trade that way. We made prices for our own goods. We attend to our own business and advise our competitors to do the same. Owing to cutting prices 40 to 50 per cent., we have sold more goods in the past three weeks than all other shoe dealers in Decatur combined. Of course it makes them mad, but they are silly to cry. They forget that Mr. L. L. Ferriss has sold more good goods in this town in this town in the past twenty-five years than any man living. They also forget that to maintain a "crossroads" fame necessitates the handling (as we do) of the very best and most desirable goods manufactured. We still have \$25,000 worth of goods that must be closed out once regardless of our competitors. Sorry for them, of course, but we can't always be expected to protect them. See our large advertisement. Respectfully.

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148 East Main Street.

CHICAGO MARKET.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p.m. yesterday, received by G. C. Caldwell, secretary Decatur Grain Co.:

WHEAT—Dec., 78½c; Jan., 10½c; May, 8½c.

CORN—Dec., 31½c; Jan., 31½c; May, 33½c.

OATS—Dec., 20½c; Jan., 21½c; May, 22½c.

PORK—Jan., \$0.30; Feb., \$0.37; May, \$0.72.

LARD—Jan., \$5.87; Feb., \$5.96; May, \$6.10.

RIBS—Jan., \$4.15; Feb., \$4.18; May, \$4.97.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS:

Live Stock—Hogs, \$5,000; market lower.

Cattle, 14,000; market steady.

Grain—Car Lots—Winter Wheat, 25;

Spring Wheat, 115; Corn, 193; Oats, 151.

Pronounced Same.

The case of Herman Rust against his conservator, Fred Kung, for restoration of property, was tried before Judge Nelson yesterday afternoon, and Rust was pronounced to be of sound mind, and the conservator was ordered to restore all property to the plaintiff.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER.

George M. Ashman to G. Saunders, tract in Long Creek township; \$50.

Louisa Barnes et al. to C. M. Taylor, tract in Blue Mound township; \$1.

Sexton E. Smith to Hiriam Johnson, tract near Mt. Zion; \$11,200.

Matched.

Henry Byram, Shelby county, 21.

Miss Minnie McKeon, Shelby county, 14.

Charles A. Guthridge, Marion, 19.

BOSTON :-: STORE

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Before fairly starting on Holiday Goods (of which we will have a very extensive line) we will make a Grand Clear Sale of DRESS GOODS. We mention a few items which will command themselves as being away below price:

36-inch Corded Wool Suitings	20c per yard
28-inch All-wool mixed	20c "
40-inch "	25c "
38-inch Colid Color Henrietta	25c "
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" " 1.50 worth.....	2 25	" " 3.00 worth.....	5 00
" " 2.50 worth.....	3 50	" " 5.00 worth.....	7 00
" " 3.00 worth.....	4 50	" " 7.00 worth.....	9 50
" ear drops 75c worth.....	1 25	" " 10.00 worth.....	12 50
" " 1.25 worth.....	2 00	Ladies' Buttons 1.50 worth.....	2 50
" " 2.00 worth.....	3 25	" " 2.00 worth.....	3 00
" " 2.75 worth.....	4 00	" " 2.75 worth.....	3 75

Ladies' Gold Filled Stem Wind Watches we sell at \$22.50 they ask you at any Other Jewelry Store \$26.00. Our Gent's Gold Filled Watch which you are Paying \$35.00 for on the \$1.00 a week plan we are Selling you at \$30.00. Don't be Paying this Enormous interest on your Investments for only a few days. Come in and see us we have the goods and Prices and can fix you out and can Save you Considerable Money.

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